# GEORGIA BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF LICENSED DIETITIANS Meeting Minutes - Conference Call June 17, 2016

The Georgia Board of Examiners of Licensed Dietitians met by teleconference Friday, June 17, 2016, at 9:00 a.m., at the Professional Licensing Boards Division, located at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia, for the purpose of conducting Board business.

## **Board Members Present:**

David Orozco, MS, RDN, LD, Chair Holly Thaw, MS, RDN, LD Anita Nucci, Ph.D., MPH, RD, LD Linette Dodson, Ph.D., RD, LD, SN

## **Board Members Absent:**

Susan Chapman, MS, RD, LD, Vice-Chair Consumer Member (VACANT)

## **Administrative Staff Present:**

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director Linsey Brookins, BSS Tiffany Jordan, Licensing Analyst

## **Office of Attorney General:**

Wylencia Monroe, AAG

Mr. Orozco, Chair established that a quorum of the Board was present and called the Board meeting to order at 9:03 a.m.

**Agenda:** Approved as presented with late agenda item added:

• FAQ's

#### **Correspondence:**

- CDR New Registration Eligibility For Board Information
- Berube, J. Distance Minnesota Educational Programs

**Board Response:** Suggest the entity go through the Academy of Nutrition & Dietetics (ACND) & through state/national certification in order to meet criteria in Board rules of acceptable educational programs for dietitian licensure in Georgia.

# **Miscellaneous Board Discussion:**

- Frequently Asked Questions Board website <a href="www.sos.ga.gov/plb/dietitians">www.sos.ga.gov/plb/dietitians</a> Review and revise/update. Board members Anita Nucci and Susan Chapman, in addition to GAND liaison Jill McCoy, agreed to work on these FAQ's for the Board. This will be an ongoing agenda item for the Board.
- 2016 New Legislation-Laws: HB 821, HB 952 and SB 367 are posted for Board review and information.
- Jill McCoy's GAND Report: The last GAND meeting was a turnover meeting that was held for the new Board of Directors on May 13, 2016. Ellen Steinburg is now the newly elected President. Subjects that were mentioned in the meeting included, GAND policies and procedures that have been updated and approved by the board, an updated and approved Strategic Plan and the addition of a Diversity Committee. Elizabeth Appley, GAND's lobbyist, explained the new 2016 Georgia Legislative

laws The Annual Conference & Expo will not be hosted in Atlanta this year; location has yet been determined.

## **Minutes:**

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Dr. Dodson motioned, Dr. Nucci seconded, and the Board voted to approve the March 18, 2016 Minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

# **Application Ratify List:**

Issued Date: 12/12/2015 - 3/15/2016

Total: 48

| license No | Licensee                   | Profession name |
|------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| LD-P000160 | Abigail Marie Redmond      | Dietitian       |
| LD004580   | Jeremy Thomas Ponds        | Dietitian       |
| LD004581   | Kylie Marie Fordham Wright | Dietitian       |
| LD004582   | Katrina Anne Swedberg Hall | Dietitian       |
| LD004583   | Carson Elizabeth Jones     | Dietitian       |
| LD004584   | Shundra Alicia Seay        | Dietitian       |
| LD004585   | Lauren Elizabeth Clark     | Dietitian       |
| LD004586   | Nadia Renee Max Marzella   | Dietitian       |
| LD004587   | Joanna Rosemary Morris     | Dietitian       |
| LD004588   | Meredith Foster Hawk       | Dietitian       |
| LD004589   | Pamela Gree Vickers        | Dietitian       |
| LD004590   | Virginia Ives              | Dietitian       |
| LD004591   | Stella Marilyn Laguerre    | Dietitian       |
| LD004592   | Leigh Ann Purdy Pritchett  | Dietitian       |
| LD004593   | Julia Marie Whelan         | Dietitian       |

| LD004594 | Janet Debra Feinstein           | Dietitian |
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|          |                                 |           |
| LD004595 | Angela T Douge                  | Dietitian |
| LD004596 | Robert Edward Cornelius Wildman | Dietitian |
| LD004597 | John Charles Brunt              | Dietitian |
| LD004598 | Emilie Elisabeth Koetter        | Dietitian |
| LD004599 | Katie Marie Henderson Presler   | Dietitian |
| LD004600 | Alison Anne Curtis              | Dietitian |
| LD004601 | Stacy Joy Hanmer Griswold       | Dietitian |
| LD004602 | Berdena Ann McGhee              | Dietitian |
| LD004603 | Nicole McGee Smith              | Dietitian |
| LD004604 | Kasei I Augustine               | Dietitian |
| LD004605 | Jennifer Lynn Dudley            | Dietitian |
| LD004606 | Lauren Diane Bradford           | Dietitian |
| LD004607 | Michelle Giang                  | Dietitian |
| LD004608 | Brittany Nicole Lawhorn         | Dietitian |
| LD004609 | Jennifer Lynn Karlebach         | Dietitian |
| LD004610 | Lorie Ann Phillips Pardue       | Dietitian |
| LD004611 | Julianne Elizabeth Bierwirth    | Dietitian |
| LD004612 | Sarah Nicole Maki               | Dietitian |
| LD004613 | Jennifer Lynn Van Norman        | Dietitian |
| LD004614 | Sitha Pin                       | Dietitian |
| LD004615 | Laura Elaine Forbus             | Dietitian |
| LD004616 | Morgan Hope Cadrette            | Dietitian |
| LD004617 | Kevin Todd Miller               | Dietitian |

| LD004618 | Antoinette Philomena Burke | Dietitian |
|----------|----------------------------|-----------|
| LD004619 | Patrick Cooper Van Asch    | Dietitian |
| LD004620 | Tara Nicole Sabo           | Dietitian |
| LD004621 | Rebecca Suzanne Fox        | Dietitian |
| LD004622 | Christine M Hansen         | Dietitian |
| LD004623 | Kristina Danielle Moore    | Dietitian |
| LD004624 | Chelsea Elizabeth Joyner   | Dietitian |
| LD004625 | Christina Marie Brumme     | Dietitian |
| LD004626 | Mary Kathleen Thomason     | Dietitian |

Dr. Nucci moved, Dr. Dodson seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the listing of licenses issued between meetings as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

## **Executive Session:**

Dr. Dodson moved, Ms. Thaw seconded and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2(k), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19(h), O.C.G.A. § 43-26-5(c) and O.C.G.A. § 43-26-11 to receive and review information pertaining to the Cognizant Report and the Executive Session meeting minutes. Voting in favor of the motion were those Board members present: Dodson, Thaw, Nucci and Orozco.

## Cognizant's/Complaints Report:

• Recommend Closure: DIET160011

## **Applications**:

## **Recommendation:**

M.P.

Approved pending information

#### **AG's Office Report:**

Wylencia Monroe, Senior Assistant Attorney General, had no report to present to the board.

### **Executive Session Minutes:**

## **Recommendation:**

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Approve as presented

At the conclusion of Executive Session on Friday, March 18, 2016 Mr. Orozco declared the meeting to be "open" pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act O.C.G.A.  $\S$  50-14-1  $\underline{et}$   $\underline{seq}$ . No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Ms. Thaw moved, Dr. Nucci seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Cognizant/Complaints report recommendations. None opposed, motion carried.

Ms. Thaw moved, Dr. Dodson seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendation on the application presented to the Board as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Dr. Dodson moved, Dr. Nucci seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Attorney General's Report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Dr. Nucci motioned, Ms. Thaw seconded, and the Board voted to approve the March 18, 2016 Executive Session Minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

There being no further business for discussion, Mr. Orozco moved, Dr. Nucci seconded and the Board voted to adjourn the meeting at 11:04 p.m.

Minutes recorded by: Linsey Brookins, BSS

Minutes reviewed and edited by: Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director

DAVID OROZCO
Chair BRIG ZIMMERMAN
Executive Director

These minutes were approved on: September 16, 2016